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09163763 BIOSIS NO.: 199497172133 Visualization of protein-nucleic acid interactions involved in the in vitro assembly of the Escherichia coli 50 S ribosomal subunit.

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JOURNAL: Journal of Molecular Biology 235 (4):p1239-1250 1994

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ABSTRACT: Protein-nucleic acid interactions which occur during Escherichia coli 50 S ribosomal subunit assembly between 23 S rRNA, 5 S rRNA and a complete set of 34 L-proteins were monitored by high resolution scanning transmission electron microscopy (STEM). This approach made it possible to visualize and quantitatively analyze conformational changes induced in the rRNAs during E. coli 50 S ribosomal subunit assembly. The reconstituted RNA-protein complexes, the control 23 S rRNA and native 50 S subunits were characterized by their mass and morphology. Association of 23 8 rRNA with the first assembly protein, L24, led to the formation of a distinct nucleus of mass ("cluster") on the filamentous and loosely coiled molecule of the 23 S rRNA. This structural feature was preserved and enhanced in 23 S rRNA after its association with the rest of the early assembly proteins, namely L3, L20, L13, L4 and L22. Since the above proteins, with the exception of L3, bind to the 5' end of the 23 S rRNA, the cluster seems to be formed predominantly by interactions of L24, L13, L20, L22 and L4 with this segment of the 23 S rRNA molecule. Association with the rest of the primary binding proteins (L2, L23, L9, L1), which interact with the 3' end of the 23 S rRNA, appears to result in the formation of a second mass center. Binding of additional proteins led to the formation of compact particles with an apparent similarity to the 50S subunit. However, particles with defined structural features characteristic of the native 50 S subunit requires the interactions of both 23 S rRNA and 5 S rRNA with all of the L-proteins. STEM image analysis demonstrated that 50 S subunit reconstitution proceeds by the immediate folding of the 23 S rRNA into a single mass center followed by the formation of a second mass center. These mass centers merge into one central body, which is gradually enhanced and decorated with structural elements characteristic of the 50 S subunit in the latter stages of assembly.

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                 **interleukin**-**6** receptor for the ex vivo expansion
                 of **hematopoietic** multipotential **cells**
ABSTRACT:
**Stem** **cell** factor in combination with soluble **interleukin**-
**6** receptor, **interleukin**-**6**, for gp130 signaling, supports the
proliferation, differentiation and terminal maturation of blood **cells**
from normal human **hematopoietic** multipotential **cells**.
US PAT NO:
               5,851,984 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]
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               **Method** of enhancing proliferation or differentiation
                 of **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells** using Wnt
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ABSTRACT:
Uses for Wnt polypeptides in hematopoiesis are disclosed. In particular,
in vitro and in vivo **methods** for enhancing proliferation or
differentiation of a **hematopoietic** **stem**/progenitor **cell** using
a Wnt polypeptide, and optionally another cytokine, are described.
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TITLE:
               Anfusion of neutrophil precursors for treatment of
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neutropenia

ABSTRACT:

The invention provides a **method** of treating a patient having a reduced population of neutrophils following a myeloablative cancer treatment such as high dose chemotherapy. Following myeloablative therapy, a **cell** composition of at least 25% neutrophil precursors, i.e. promyelocytes, myelocytes, and metamyelocytes, is administered to the patient. Thereafter, the neutrophil precursors differentiate rapidly in vivo to replenish the supply of mature neutrophils for fighting infection. The **method** is used to reduce the neutropenic window between the time of myeloablative therapy and the time required for infused **stem** **cells** to proliferate and differentiate into mature neutrophils.

US PAT NO: TITLE: *Method** for regulating **cell** growth, leukocyte differentiation and tumor **cell** growth using Oncostatin M to stimulate synthesis of IL-6

ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates to **methods** of using oncostatin M (OM). In particular, it relates to the use of OM to stimulate **interleukin**

6 (IL-6) synthesis in target **cells**, especially human endothelial

cells. The resultant IL-6, in turn, may perform a variety of
functions such as **cell** growth regulation, leukocyte differentiation,
and tumor inhibition. Furthermore, the present invention also relates to
the use of OM to treat cytopenias, including anemia and
thrombocytopoiesis, and to increase tolerance to irradiation and
cytotoxic drugs. Therefore, the **methods** of the invention may have a
wide range of applications, including, but not limited to, the inhibition
of tumor growth, the treatment of cytopenias, and to increase the
tolerance to radio- and chemotherapy. OM may be used in combination with
various cytokines, including erythropoietin, colony-stimulating factors,
interleukin-**3** or **thrombopoietin**.

US PAT NO: TITLE: %,786,323 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 5 of 16
Use of **stem** **cell** factor and soluble
 interleukin-**6** receptor to induce the development
 of **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells**

ABSTRACT:

Stem **cell** factor in combination with gp130 signaling supports proliferation, differentiation and terminal maturation of erythroid **cells** from normal human **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells**.

US PAT NO: TITLE: '5,750,397 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 6 of 16 Human **hematopoietic** **stem** **cell**

ABSTRACT:

Human **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells** are provided by separation of the **stem** **cells** from dedicated **cells**. The **stem** **cells** may than be maintained by regeneration in an appropriate growth medium. Means are provided for assaying for the **stem** **cells** as to their capability for producing members of each of the **hematopoietic** lineages.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,744,361 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 7 of 16
Expansion of human **hematopoietic** progenitor **cells**
in a liquid medium

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The use of individual or combinations of cytokines, particularly IL-3, GM-CSF, and **c**-**kit** ligand are employed for long-term hematopoiesis in serum free **culture** in the absence of stromal **cells**. The **cultures** can be used for evaluating compounds and their effect on hematopoiesis, particularly as to lifetime and nature of differentiation. In addition, the expanded **cells** may be used for engraftment in a mammalian host or enhancement of particular **cell** lineages in a mammalian host. The subject systems may be used with any mammalian hemopoietic **cells**, but finds particular application with primates, more particularly humans.

5,728,581 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] US PAT NO: *Method** of expanding **hematopoietic** **stem** TITLE:

L4: 8 of 16 **cells**, reagents and bioreactors for use therein

ABSTRACT:

The present invention provides **methods** and bioreactors for expanding **stem** **cells** in a population of **cells** substantially enriched in **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells** and substantially free of stromal **cells**. The **method** comprising the steps of inoculating the population of **cells** in an expansion container in a volume of suitable medium such that the **cell** density is at least about 5,000 **cells**/1 mL and at an initial oxygen concentration of less than 8%; adding an effective amount of at least one cytokine to cause **stem** **cell** expansion; culturing the **cells** under suitable conditions such that the **cells** condition the medium; increasing the oxygen concentration to about 20%; exchanging the medium at a rate which allows expansion of the **stem** **cells**; and culturing the **cells** under conditions such that the **stem** **cells** are expanded. The present invention also provides a bioreactor constructed to accomodate the operational requirements for stroma-free **stem** **cell** expansion.

US PAT NO: TITLE:

5,700,691 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 9 of 16 *Method** for the preparation of in vitro-derived human neutrophil precursor **cells**

A composition of human neutrophil precursor **cells** is disclosed wherein at least 16% of the **cells** are human myeloblasts and promyelocytes. The myeloblasts and promyelocytes are derived from human neutrophil progenitor **cells** that were obtained from peripheral blood, bone marrow or cord blood. The neutrophil precursor **cells** contain less than 5% colony forming units. Also disclosed are human neutrophil precursor **cells** made up of about 16% CD15+CD11b- **cells** and less than 5% colony forming units and **methods** of preparing these compositions.

US PAT NO: TITLE:

L4: 10 of 16 5,643,761 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] **Method** for generating a subtracted cDNA library and

uses of the generated library

ABSTRACT:

This invention provides a **method** of generating a subtracted cDNA library of a **cell** comprising: a) generating a cDNA library of the **cell**; b) isolating double-stranded DNAs from the cDNA library; c) releasing the double-stranded cDNA inserts from the double-stranded DNAs; d) denaturing the isolated double-stranded cDNA inserts; e) hybridizing the denatured double-stranded cDNA inserts with a labelled

single-stranded nucleic acid molecules which are to be subtracted from the cDNA library; and f) separating the hybridized labeled single-stranded nucleic acid molecule from the double-stranded cDNA inserts, thereby generating a subtracted cDNA library of a **cell**.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,635,388 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 11 of 16 Agenist antibodies against the flk2/**flt3** receptor and uses thereof

ABSTRACT:

Agonist antibodies are disclosed which bind to the extracellular domain of the flk2/**flt3** receptor and thereby activate the intracellular kinase domain thereof. The labeled antibodies are useful as diagnostics for detecting the presence of the flk2/**flt3** receptor in primitive **hematopoietic** **cells** for example. The antibodies are able to cause primitive **hematopoietic** **cells** to proliferate and/or differentiate and thereby enhance repopulation of mature blood **cell** lineages in a mammal which has undergone chemo- or radiation therapy or bone marrow transplantation. The antibodies are further useful for treating mammals which have suffered a decrease in blood **cells** as a consequence of disease or a hemorrhage, for example.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,635,387 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 12 of 16

Methods and device for culturing human

hematopoietic **cells** and their precursors

ABSTRACT:

Methods for increasing the number of human **hematopoietic**
precursor **cells** in vitro are provided. The **methods** generally
comprise (a) separating human **hematopoietic** precursor **cells** from
mature **hematopoietic** **cells** present in a blood product; (b)
inoculating the separated precursor **cells** into a **culture** vessel
containing a **culture** medium comprising a nutritive medium and a
source of growth factors at a density of between 1.times.10.sup.3
cells/ml and 4.times.10.sup.6 **cells**/ml; and (c) culturing the
cells under conditions and for a time sufficient to increase the
number of precursor **cells** relative to the number of such **cells**
present in the blood product. The **culture** medium may also include a
suitable amount of microcarrier beads. Suitable blood products include
bone marrow, umbilical cord blood, and peripheral blood. A device for
carrying out such **methods** is also provided.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,620,056 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 13 of 16
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development of **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells**

ABSTRACT:

Stem **cell** factor in combination with **interleukin**-**6** and soluble **interleukin**-**6** receptor supports proliferation, differentiation and terminal maturation of erythroid **cells** from normal human **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells**.

US PAT NO:

5,899,703 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 14 of 16 In vitro amplification/expansion of CD34.sup.+ **stem** and progenitor **cells**

ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates to a **method** of amplifying in vitro stemcells. In this **method** **hematopoietic** CD34.sup.+ **stem** and

progenitor **cells** are isolated from human bone marrow and contacted with endothelial **cells**. The contacted **stem** **cells** and endothelial **cells** are cultured in the presence of at least one cytokine in an amount sufficient to support amplification/expansion of the **hematopoietic** CD34.sup.+ **stem** and progenitor **cells**. This **method** produces increased yields of **hematopoietic** CD34.sup.+ **stem** and progenitor **cells** which can be used in human therapeutics.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,409,825 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 15 of 16 Expansion of human **hematopoietic** progenitor **cells** in a liquid medium

ABSTRACT:

A process for supporting **hematopoietic** progenitor **cells** in a **culture** medium which contains at least one cytokine effective for supporting the **cells**, and preferably, is essentially free of stromal **cells**.

US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,332,672 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 16 of 16 Prevention of ES **cell** differentiation by ciliary

neurotrophic factor

ABSTRACT:

The present invention provides for a stable, biologically active CNTF/receptor complex, and hybrids or routants thereof. The invention is also based in part on the discovery that the CNTF/receptor complex promotes differentiation through a signal transduction pathway on target **cells** that do not express the CNTF receptor. The invention further provides for a specific CNTFR mutant that promotes signal transduction without binding CNTF. The invention also provides for a CNTF/receptor blocking mutant, a mutant possessing a high binding affinity to CNTF, but possessing no signal transducing function. The present invention also identifies receptor components shared by the IL-6, CNTF, **LIF** and OSM signal transduction pathways, and the initiation of signal transduction based upon the presence of such components. The present invention additionally provides for therapeutic and diagnostic applications dependant on the ability of the CNTF/receptor complex, hybrid or mutant to elicit a physiological response on the appropriate target **cell**.

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US PAT NO: 5,861,315 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 1 of 16

TITLE: Use of **stem** **cell** factor and soluble

interleukin-**6** receptor for the ex vivo expansion

of **hematopoietic** multipotential **cells**

ABSTRACT:

Stem **cell** factor in combination with soluble **interleukin****6** receptor, **interleukin**-**6**, for gp130 signaling, supports the
proliferation, differentiation and terminal maturation of blood **cells**
from normal human **hematopoietic** multipotential **cells**.

US PAT NO: 5,851,984 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 2 of 16

TITLE: **Method** of enhancing proliferation or differentiation

of **hematopoietic** **stem** **cells** using Wnt

polypeptides

ABSTRACT:

Uses for Wnt polypeptides in hematopoiesis are disclosed. In particular, in vitro and in vivo **methods** for enhancing proliferation or differentiation of a **hematopoietic** **stem**/progenitor **cell** using a Wnt polypeptide, and optionally another cytokine, are described.

US PAT NO: 5,846,529 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 3 of 16 TITLE: Infusion of neutrophil precursors for treatment of

neutropenia

ABSTRACT:

The invention provides a **method** of treating a patient having a reduced population of neutrophils following a myeloablative cancer treatment such as high dose chemotherapy. Following myeloablative therapy, a **cell** composition of at least 25% neutrophil precursors, i.e. promyelocytes, myelocytes, and metamyelocytes, is administered to the patient. Thereafter, the neutrophil precursors differentiate rapidly in vivo to replenish the supply of mature neutrophils for fighting infection. The **method** is used to reduce the neutropenic window between the time of myeloablative therapy and the time required for infused **stem** **cells** to proliferate and differentiate into mature neutrophils.

US PAT NO: 5,814,307 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 4 of 16
TITLE: **Method** for regulating **cell** growth, leukocyte
differentiation and tumor **cell** growth using
Oncostatin M to stimulate synthesis of IL-6

ABSTRACT:

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US PAT NO:

L4: 6 of 16 5,750,397 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

TITLE:

Human **hematopoietic** **stem** **cell**

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US PAT NO:

L4: 7 of 16 5,744,361 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

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5,728,581 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

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TITLE:

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cells, reagents and bioreactors for use therein

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US PAT NO:

5,700,691 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

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US PAT NO:

5,643,761 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L4: 10 of 16

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US PAT NO:

5,635,388 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L4: 11 of 16

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US PAT NO:

5,635,387 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

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US PAT NO:

5,610,056 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L4: 13 of 16

TITLE:

Use of **stem** **cell** factor **interleukin**-**6** and

ABSTRACT:

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US PAT NO:

5,599,703 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L4: 14 of 16

TITLE:

In vitro amplification/expansion of CD34.sup.+ **stem**

and progenitor **cells**

ABSTRACT:

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US PAT NO:

5,409,825 [IMAGE AVAILABLE]

L4: 15 of 16

TITLE:

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US PAT NO: TITLE: 5,332,672 [IMAGE AVAILABLE] L4: 16 of 16

Prevention of ES **cell** differentiation by ciliary

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ABSTRACT: Ex vivo culture of hematopoietic stem cells is

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limited by the inak rity of cytokines to maintain positive cells without inducing proliferation, differentiation, and subsequent loss of repopulating capacity. We identified recently in extracts of kidney bean and hyacinth bean a mannose-binding lectin, called FRIL, and provide here evidence that this protein appears to satisfy properties of a stem cell preservation factor. FRIL was first identified based on its ability to stimulate NIH 3T3 cells transfected with Flt3, a tyrosine kinase receptor central to regulation of stem cells. Molecular characterization from polypeptide sequencing and identification of the cDNA of hyacinth bean FRIL shows 78% amino acid identity with a mannose-binding lectin of hyacinth beans. Treatment of primitive hematopoietic progenitors in suspension culture with purified hyacinth FRIL alone is able to preserve cells for 1 month without medium changes. In vitro progenitor assays for human hematopoietic cells cultured 3 weeks in FRIL displayed small blast-like colonies that were capable of serial replating and persisted even in the presence of cytokines known to induce differentiation. These results suggest that FRIL is capable of preserving primitive progenitors in suspension culture for prolonged periods. FRIL's clinical utility involving procedures for stem cell transplantation, tumor cell purging before autologous transplantation, and ex vivo cultures used for expansion and stem cell gene therapy currently are being explored.

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Ex vivo expansion of cord blood progenitors.

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Human umbilical and blood contains abundant politive and committed hematopoietic progenitors; in addition, the general availability and the ease of procurement make cord blood a very attractive alternative source of transplantable hematopoietic tissue. However, the major limitation to a widespread use of cord blood for transplantation lays in its limited volume. For such a reason, until now, cord blood transplant has been mainly restricted to children and small size adults. Ex vivo expansion of cord blood stem cells could make the use of cord blood transplant feasible also for adult patients. Recently we developed a stroma-free culture system in which a progressive, increasingly greater production of hemopoietic progenitors belonging to all the hematopoietic lineages was sustained for 'over six months. A similar sustained and prolonged expansion of the most primitive stem cells that can be detected in vitro (LTC-IC), was also documented. The extremely prolonged maintenance and the massive expansions suggest that extensive self-renewal and little differentiation can be triggered in vitro by FLT3/FLK2 ligand plus c-mpl ligand (Thrombopoietin) and this could represent a first step towards the implementation of clinical expansion-transplantation strategies.

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Thrombopoietin promotes the survival of murine hematopoietic long-term reconstituting cells: comparison with the effects of FLT3 /FLK-2 liquid and interleukin-6.

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The effects of thrombopoietin (TPO; c-mpl ligand), FLT3 /FLK-2 ligand (FL), and interleukin-6 (IL-6) on the survival of murine hematopoietic long-term reconstituting cells (LTRC) were by using lineage-negative, Sca-1-positive, c-kit-positive (Lin-Sca-1(+)c-kit+) marrow cells from 5-fluorouracil-treated mice. We tested the ability of these cytokines to maintain the viability of LTRC by transplanting the cultured cells to lethally irradiated Ly-5 congenic mice together with compromised marrow cells. As a single agent, only TPO could maintain the LTRC. Neither IL-6 nor FL was effective by itself, but they acted synergistically to maintain the LTRC. We examined whether the maintenance of LTRC by these cytokines was due to the survival of stem cells or was the result of active cell divisions and self-renewal. To monitor cell division, we used membrane dye PKH26. Enriched cells were stained with PKH26 on day 0 and incubated in suspension culture with TPO or with IL-6 and FL for 7 days. On day 7, PKH26(low) and PKH26(high) cells were prepared by sorting and their in vivo reconstituting abilities were tested by transplantation into lethally irradiated Ly-5 congenic mice together with compromised marrow cells. PKH26(high) populations cultured with both TPO alone and the combination of IL-6 and FL showed greater reconstitution activity than that of PKH26(low) populations. These data indicate that TPO alone and the combination of IL-6 and FL can support the survival of stem cells without stimulating their active cell proliferation.

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Thrombopoietin, steel factor and the ligand for 11t3/flk2 interact to stimulate the proliferation of human hematopoietic progenitors in culture.

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We have tested the effects of steel factor (SF) the ligand for flt3/flk2 (FL) and thrombopoietin (TPO, Mpl ligand), on proliferation human bone marrow progenitors in of primitive serum-deprived culture. Varying combinations of SF, FL and TPO supported formation of only few colonies from CD34+/c-Kit(low)/CD38neg/low cells. However, the addition of interleukin 3 (IL-3) to the three cytokines significantly increased the number of colonies. When this population of cells was tested in suspension culture for one week for production of colony-forming cells there was synergism among SF, FL and TPO. Addition of IL-3 to the three cytokines further increased the number of erythroid colony-forming cells. The effects of these four CD34+/c-Kit(low)/CD38high cells were merely additive. Studies of individual CD34+/c-Kit(low)/CD38neg/low cells demonstrated the direct effects of SF, FL and TPO. In the presence of SF, FL and TPO, approximately half of the individual CD34+/c-Kit(low)/CD38neg/low cells proliferated in seven day suspension culture. Addition of IL-3 to the combination of SF, FL and TPO did not increase the frequencies of proliferating clones, but increased the size of individual clones. These observations suggest that SF, FL and TPO play important roles in survival and proliferation of primitive human hematopoietic progenitors.

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Thrombopoietin directly and potently stimulates multilineage growth and progenitor cell expansion from primitive (CD34+ CD38-) human bone marrow progenitor cells: distinct and key interactions with the ligands for c-kit and flt3, and inhibitory effects of TGF-beta and TNF-alpha.

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Thrombopoietin (Tpo) is a primary regulator of megakaryocyte and platelet production. However, studies in c-mpl-deficient mice suggest that Tpo might also play an important role in early hemopoiesis. Here, the direct of Tpo to stimulate stroma-independent growth, multilineage differentiation, and progenitor cell expansion from single primitive CD34+ CD38- human bone marrow cells was investigated. Tpo alone stimulated limited clonal growth, but synergized with c-kit ligand (KL), flt3 ligand (FL), or IL-3 to potently enhance clonogenic growth. Whereas KL and FL in combination stimulated the clonal growth of only 3% of CD34+ CD38- cells, 40% of CD34+ CD38- cells were recruited by KL+FL+Tpo, demonstrating that Tpo promotes the growth of a high fraction of CD34+ CD38- progenitor cells. Additional cytokines (IL-3, IL-6, and erythropoietin (Epo)) did not significantly enhance clonal growth above observed in response to KL+FL+Tpo. In contrast, Tpo enhanced clonogenic growth in response to KL+FL+IL-3+IL-6+Epo by as much as 80%,

implicating a key roll for this cytokine in early hem liesis. Importantly, we also demonstrate that the majority of Tpo-recruited CD34+ CD38-progenitor cells have a multilineage differentiation potential, and that Tpo promotes prolonged expansion of multipotent progenitors. Specifically, whereas progenitor cells were reduced in cultures containing only KL+FL, addition of Tpo resulted in 40-fold expansion of multipotent progenitors following a 14-day incubation. Finally, we identified inhibitors of Tpo-induced progenitor cell growth, in that TGF-beta as well as TNF-alpha almost completely abrogated the growth of CD34+ CD38- progenitor cells in response to Tpo alone as well as KL+FL+Tpo.

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Thrombopoietin augments ex vivo expansion of human cord blood-derived hematopoietic progenitors in combination with stem cell factor and flt3 ligand.

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We studied the effects of stem cell factor (SCF) and flt3 ligand (FL) on the ex vivo expansion of human umbilical cord blood (CB)-derived CD34+ cells in combination with various cytokines, including interleukin (IL) - 3,IL-6, IL-11, and c-Mpl (thrombopoietin, TPO), in a short-term serum-free liquid suspension culture system. Among the two-factor combinations tested, SCF plus IL-3 most expanded committed progenitor cells, including mixed colony-forming units (CFU-Mix). The expansion efficiency (EE) of FL for each progenitor was inferior to that of SCF in the presence of various except TPO. IL-6 significantly increased the EE for granulocyte/macrophage colony-forming units (CFU-GM) obtained with SCF + IL-3 or FL + IL-3. Interestingly, TPO markedly augmented the EE for committed progenitors, including CFU-GM, erythroid burst-forming units (BFU-E), and CFU-Mix, in the presence of SCF + IL-3 or FL + IL-3. The combinations of SCF + IL-3 + TPO + IL-6 or IL-11 maximally stimulated the expansion of committed progenitors. The maximum EE for CFU-GM, BFU-E, and CFU-Mix was respectively 197-fold (day 14), 60-fold (day 7) and 51-fold (day 14). Other combinations of cytokines without IL-3 failed to expand effectively these committed progenitors. Our data demonstrate that it is possible to expand human CB-derived committed progenitors in vitro using SCF or FL with several other cytokines including TPO, and that IL-3 is the cytokine promoting the expansion of human hematopoietic progenitors in the presence of SCF or FL.

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Soluble thrombopoietin receptor (Mpl) and granulocyte colony-stimulating factor receptor directly stimulate proliferation of primitive hematopoietic progenitors of mice in synergy with steel factor or the ligand for Flt3/Flk2.

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In an effort to establish the specificity of the thrombopoietin (TPO) effects on murine multipotential progenitors, we tested the effects of soluble TPO receptor (sTPOR; sMpl) on multilineage colony formation that was supported by a combination of TPO and steel factor (SF). Surprisingly, sTPOR did not suppress colony formation from primitive progenitors. This led to the discovery that sTPOR synergizes with SF or Flt3/Flk2 support the formation of various types of (FL) to hematopoietic colonies including multilineage colonies. The colonies supported by the combination of sTPOR and SF were capable of expressing both myeloid and B-lymphoid potentials. Studies using micromanipulation and serum-free culture showed that the effects of sTPOR and SF on the primitive progenitors are direct, not mediated by contaminating stromal cells, and not dependent on factors present in the serum. TPOR belongs to the cytokine receptor group that includes granulocyte colony-stimulating factor receptor (G-CSFR) and erythropoietin receptor (EPOR). Therefore, we tested the effects of sG-CSFR and sEPOR on primitive progenitors. sG-CSFR, but not sEPOR, was able to synergize with SF or FL in supporting the proliferation of primitive progenitors. The direct effects of the soluble receptors be mediated through interactions with their respective membrane-bound receptors expressed on the primitive hematopoietic progenitors.

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11619128 BIOSIS NO.: 199800401036 Ex vivo expansion of cord blood progenitors.

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ABSTRACT: Human umbilical cord blood contains abundant primitive and committed hematopoietic progenitors; in addition, the general availability and the ease of procurement make cord blood a very attractive alternative source of transplantable hematopoietic tissue. However, the major limitation to a widespread use of cord blood for transplantation lays in its limited volume. For such a reason, until now, cord blood transplant has been mainly restricted to children and small size adults. Ex vivo expansion of cord blood stem cells could make the use of cord blood transplant feasible also for adult patients. Recently we developed a stroma-free culture system in which a progressive, increasingly greater production of hemopoietic progenitors belonging to all the hematopoietic lineages was sustained for over six months. A similar sustained and prolonged expansion of the most primitive stem cells that can be detected in vitro (LTC-IC), was also documented. The extremely prolonged maintenance and the massive expansions suggest that extensive self-renewal and little differentiation can be triggered in vitro by FLT3/FLK2 ligand (FL) plus cmpl ligand (Thrombopoietin) and this could represent a first

step towards the implementation of clinical expansion-transplantation strategies.

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11576593 BIOSIS NO.: 199800357289
Thrombopoietin promotes the survival of murine hematopoietic long-term reconstituting cells: Comparison with the effects of FLT3 /FLK-2 ligand and interleukin-6.

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ABSTRACT: The effects of thrombopoietin (TPO; c-mpl ligand), FLT3/FLK-2 ligand (FL), and interleukin-6 (IL-6) on the survival of murine hematopoietic long-term reconstituting cells (LTRC) were studied by using lineage-negative, Sca-1-positive, c-kit-positive (Lin-Sca-1+c-kit+) marrow cells from 5-fluorouracil-treated mice. We tested the ability of these cytokines to maintain the viability of LTRC by transplanting the cultured cells to lethally irradiated Ly-5 congenic mice together with compromised marrow cells. As a single agent, only TPO could maintain the LTRC. Neither IL-6 nor FL was effective by itself, but they acted synergistically to maintain the LTRC. We examined whether the maintenance of LTRC by these cytokines was due to the survival of stem cells or was the result of active cell divisions and self-renewal. To monitor cell division, we used membrane dye PKH26. Enriched cells were stained with PKH26 on day 0 and incubated in suspension culture with TPO or with IL-6 and FL for 7 days. On day 7, PKH26low and PKH26high cells were prepared by sorting and their in vivo reconstituting abilities were tested by transplantation into lethally irradiated Ly-5 congenic mice together with compromised marrow cells. PKH26high populations cultured with both TPO alone and the combination of IL-6 and FL showed greater reconstitution activity than that of PKH26low- populations. These data indicate that TPO alone and the combination of IL-6 and FL can support the survival of stem cells without stimulating their active cell proliferation.

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Thrombopoietin augments ex vivo expansion of human cord blood derived hematopoietic progenitors in combination with stem cell factor and FLT3 ligand.

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Soluble thrombopoietin receptor (MPL) and G-CSF receptor directly stimulate proliferation of primitive hematopoietic progenitors of mice in synergy with steel factor or the ligand for FLT3 /FLK2.

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Soluble thrombopoietin receptor (Mpl) and granulocyte colony-stimulating factor receptor directly stimulate proliferation of primitive hematopoietic progenitors of mice in synergy with steel factor or the ligand for Flt3/Flk2.

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 progenitor cells growth.
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Efficient retrovirus-mediated gene transfer of dendritic cells generated from CD34+ cord blood cells under serum-free conditions.

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A retroviral-vector encoding the low affinity nerve growth factor receptor (LNGFR) was used to transduce dendritic cells (DCs) generated from CD34+ cord blood (CB) progenitor cells under serum-free conditions. Transduction efficiency was monitored by flow cytometry (FACS) using a specific monoclonal antibody. Prior to retroviral infections, CD34+ CB cells were stimulated for 60 h in a serum-free medium containing a DC differentiation inducing cytokine cocktail: stem cell factor (SCF), granulocyte/macrophage-colony stimulating factor (GM-CSF), tumor necrosis factor alpha (TNFalpha), and transforming growth factor beta 1 (TGF-beta1). Addition of flt3-ligand (FL) to the aforementioned growth factors significantly enhanced cell expansion (41.7+/-11.5) fold vs. 22.5+/-4.7 fold without FL) and generation of CDla+ DCs (mean 45.7+/-9.8% vs. 28+/-6.5% without FL, n = 4,p = 0.01). Furthermore, FL significantly increased the proportion of CD1a+LNGFR+ cells (mean 10%+/-4.4% vs. 6%+/-2.4 without FL n = 4, p = 0.03). When serum-free viral supernatants were used to infect DCs progenitors under entirely serum-free conditions and with the most potent cytokine combination, approximately one-third of the CDla+ DCs generated co-expressed the LNGFR gene. Moreover, the transduced gene was also identified in more mature CD1a+CD80+ and CD1a+CD86+ DCs after 12-14 days of culture. In addition, transduced CD1a+ DCs maintained their functional properties, stimulating allogeneic T cells with similar efficiency as nontransduced CD1a+ DCs. Thus, the serum-free system described allows efficient generation and transduction of CD1a+ DCs derived from CD34+ progenitor cells and may be very useful for future therapeutic applications of DCs.

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Altered proliferative response by T lymphocytes of Ly-6A (Sca-1) null $\acute{}$ mice.

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Ly-6A is a murine antigen which is implicated in lymphocyte activation and may be involved in activation of hematopoietic stem cells. Antibody cross-linking studies and antisense experiments have suggested that Ly-6A is a lymphocyte coactivation molecule. To better understand the function of Ly-6A, we used gene targeting to produce Ly-6A nuM mice which are healthy and have normal numbers and percentages of hematopoietic lineages. However, T lymphocytes from Ly-6A-deficient Animals proliferate at a significantly higher rate in response to antigens mitogens than wild-type littermates. In addition, Ly-6A mutant splenocytes generate more cytotoxic T lymphocytes compared to wild-type splenocytes when cocultured with alloantigen. This enhanced proliferation is not due to alterations in kinetics of response, sensitivity to stimulant concentration, or cytokine production by the T cell population, and is manifest in both in vivo and in vitro T cell responses. T cells from Ly-6A-deficient animals exhibit a prolonged Moreover, proliferative response to antigen stimulation, thereby suggesting that Ly-6A acts to downmodulate lymphocyte responses.

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Increased stable retroviral gene transfer in early hematopoietic progenitors released from quiescence.

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It has been previously demonstrated that prestimulation with cytokines could improve gene transfer in hematopoietic progenitors. However, we have shown that no combination of cytokines so far tested is able to release rapidly in vitro the stem cell compartment from quiescence unless an autocrine transforming growth factor-beta 1 (TGF-beta 1) is blocked by specific oligonucleotide antisense or antiserum (Hatzfeld et al., 1991, J. Exp. Med., 174, 925). We now report that a 10-hr cytokine prestimulation of SBA-CD34high human umbilical cord blood progenitors increases retrovirally mediated transfer of the nls-lacZ reporter gene from 1% to 23.8% and addition of anti-TGF-beta serum doubles this increase (47.3%). Interestingly, the effect of anti-TGF-beta preincubation on gene transfer is most effective on the most immature progenitors, which develop into high proliferative potential mixed colonies with 1-2 x 10(5) cells. Anti-TGF-beta serum pretreatment increases gene transfer in these early colony-forming units granulocyte-erythroid-megakary ocyte-macrophage (CFU-GEMM) from 54.1% to 93.3%. It augments significantly the stability of gene expression in all subpopulations of mixed colonies. Colonies obtained after pretreatment with anti-TGF-beta serum are larger and the expression of the stably integrated recombinant provirus does not

reduce their size. This prestimulation method prides a substantial improvement for gene transfer efficiency within the quiescent stem cell compartment that is responsible for long-term engraftment.

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stem cell factor as a survival and growth factor in human normal and malignant hematopoiesis.

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Stem cell factor (SCF) is an essential hematopoietic that interacts with other cytokines to preserve the viability of hematopoietic stem and progenitor cells, to influence their entry into the cell cycle and to facilitate their proliferation and differentiation. SCF on its own cannot drive noncycling hematopoietic progenitor cells into the cell cycle but does prevent their apoptotic death. SCF when combined with other cytokines increases the cloning efficacy of hematopoietic progenitor cells from all lineages. SCF also stimulates the growth of CD34+ leukemic progenitor cells from most patients with acute myeloid leukemia (AML). The mRNA expression of the SCF receptor c-kit has been shown to be significantly increased in all fresh AML blast cells compared with normal controls (healthy volunteers), in particular CD34+ cells. Two inhibitory cytokines, transforming growth factor-beta and interleukin-4, decreased c-kit expression, whereas tumor necrosis factor-alpha increased c-kit expression, but chemotherapeutic drugs showed no effect on c-kit expression, but chemotherapeutic drugs showed no effect on c-kit expression in AML cells. Apoptosis has been shown to be directly related to a high complete remission rate in AML patients following induction therapy. Since SCF has been shown to stimulate the proliferation of mainly CD34+ AML cells, we have investigated whether the poor response of patients with CD34+ myeloid leukemia cells to chemotherapy could be due to SCF-induced resistance to apoptosis. The effect of SCF on the apoptosis induced by chemotherapeutic drugs commonly used in the treatment of AML - cytarabine, daunorubicin and carboplatin - was examined in human CD34+ myeloid leukemia cells in serum-free cultures. SCF significantly reduced the induced apoptosis by more than 50% in all CD34+ human leukemia cells treated by any of the three chemotherapeutic drugs. Antibodies blocking c-kit reversed the significant inhibitory effect of SCF on chemotherapy-induced apoptosis, confirming the role of SCF in the resistance to chemotherapy-induced apoptosis in CD34+ human leukemia. These results suggest that the poor response of patients with CD34+ leukemia cells could be at least partially due to less chemotherapy-induced apoptosis resulting from protection by SCF as an adjuvant mechanism for drug resistance in myeloid leukemia. We conclude that an antisense strategy to block c-kit expression in AML blast cells may prove valuable for decreasing the chemoresistance of AML patients. The abrogation of leukemic resistance to apoptotic death through anti-SCF/c-pit expression combined with chemotherapy offers potential for designing novel therapeutic approaches for refractory AML patients.

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Leukemia inhibit y factor upregulates **cytokir** xpression by a murine stromal **cell** line enabling the maintenance of highly enriched competitive repopulating **stem** cells.

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Attempts to maintain or expand primitive hematopoietic stem cells in vitro without the concomitant loss of their differentiative and proliferative potential in vivo have largely been unsuccessful. To investigate this problem, we compared the ability of three cloned bone marrow (BM) stromal cell lines to support the growth of primitive Thy-1lo Sca-1+H-2Khi cells isolated by fluorescence-activated cell sorting from the BM of Ly-5.2 mice treated 1 day previously with 5-fluorouracil. Sorted cells were highly enriched in cobblestone area-forming cells (CAFC), but their frequency was dependent on the stromal cell lines used in this assay (1 per 45 cells on SyS-1; 1 per 97 cells on PA6). In the presence of recombinant leukemia inhibitory factor (LIF), CAFC cloning efficiency was increased to 1 per 8 cells on SyS-1 and 1 per 11 cells on PA6, thus showing the high clonogenicity of this primitive stem cell population. More primitive stem cells with competitive repopulating potential were measured by injecting the sorted cells into lethally irradiated Ly-5.1 mice together with 10(5) radioprotective Ly-5.1 BM cells whose long-term repopulating ability has been "compromised" by two previous cycles of marrow transplantation and regeneration. Donor-derived lymphocytes and granulocytes were detected in 66% of animals injected with 50 sorted cells. To quantitate the maintenance of competitive repopulating units (CRU) by stromal cells, sorted cells were transplanted at limiting dilution before and after being cultured for 2 weeks on adherent layers of SyS-1, PA6, or S17 cells. CRU represented 1 per 55 freshly sorted cells. CRU could be recovered from cocultures supported three stromal cell lines, but their numbers were approximately-sevenfold less than on day 0. In contrast, the addition of LIF to stromal cultures improved CRU survival by 2.5-fold on S17 and PA6 cells (approximately two-fold to threefold decline), and enabled their maintenance on SyS-1. LIF appeared to act indirectly, because alone it did not support the proliferation of Thy-1lo Sca-1+H-2Khi cells in stroma-free Polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) analysis revealed that Interleukin-1beta (IL-1 beta) IL-2, IL-6, granulocyte-colony stimulating granulocyte macrophage-colony stimulating transforming growth factors, LIF, and Steel Factor (SLF) mRNAs were upregulated in SyS-1 within 1 to 6 hours of LIF-stimulation. To determine if increased expression of SLF by LIF-stimulated SyS-1 cells could account their capacity to support stem cells, sorted calls were cocultured on simian CV-E cells that were transfected with an expression vector encoding membrane-bound SLF, or supplemented with soluble SLF. In both cases, SLF synergized with IL-6 produced endogenously by CV-E cells enabling CAFC growth equivalent to that on LIF-stimulated SyS-1. CAFC development on LIF-stimulated SyS-1 could also be completely abrogated by an anti-SLF antibody. These data provide evidence for a role of LIF in the support of long-term repopulating stem cells by indirectly promoting expression by BM stroma. Furthermore, we have used quantitative assays to show a maintenance of CRU numbers, with retention of in vivo function following ex vivo culture.

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Early CD34high cells can be separated into KIThigh cells in which

transforming growth factor-beta (TGF-beta) downmo ates c-kit and KITlow cells in which anti-TGF-beta upmodulates c-kit

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We have previously shown that early human CD34high hematopoietic progenitors are maintained quiescent in part through autocrine transforming growth factor-beta 1 (TGF-beta 1). We also demonstrated in the presence of interleukin-3, interleukin-6, granulocyte colony-stimulating factor, and erythropoietin, TGF-beta 1 antisense oligonucleotides or anti-TGF-beta serum have an additive effect with KIT ligand (Steel factor [SF]), which suggests that they control different pathways of regulation in these conditions. This finding also suggests that autocrine TGF-beta 1 might suppress c-kit expression in primitive human progenitors. We have now distinguished hematopoietic subpopulations of CD34high cells. One subpopulation expresses a c-kit mRNA that can be downmodulated by exogenous TGF-beta 1 within 6 hours. Another subpopulation of early CD34high cells expresses a low or undetectable level of c-kit mRNA, but its expression can be upmodulated within 6 hours by anti-TGF-beta. These effects disappear 48 hours after induction and cannot be maintained longer than 72 hours, even if TGF-beta 1 or anti-TGF-beta serum are added every day. Similar kinetics, although delayed, are observed with KIT protein expression. On the contrary, no specific effect of TGF-beta 1 was observed on c-fms, GAPDH, and transferrin receptor gene expression in these early progenitors. These results clarify the complex interaction between TGF-beta 1 and SF in normal early hematopoietic progenitors. SF does not switch off the TGF-beta 1 inhibitory pathway. Autocrine TGF-beta 1 appears to maintain these cells in a quiescent state, suppressing cell division by downmodulating the receptor of SF, a key cytokine costimulator of early progenitors.

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IL-7 enhancement of antigen-driven activation/expansion of HIV-1-specific cytotoxic T lymphocyte precursors (CTLp).

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CD8+ cytotoxic T lymphocytes are an important component in the immunologic control of human viral diseases. IL-7, a stromal cell—derived cytokine, has been demonstrated to enhance both anti-tumour and anti-viral CTL as well as lymphokine-activated killer (LAK) activity. We studied the ability of IL-7 to support the activation and the growth of in vitro antigen-specific CTL precursors (CTLp) present in peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMC) from HIV-infected patients. Results from these studies demonstrate that inclusion of IL-7 in a vaccinia/HIV-1 vector—based stimulation strategy greatly augmented overall CTL reactivities, whereas addition of IL-7 to unstimulated cultures failed to induce any significant anti-viral cytolytic activity. In four of six patients, HIV-specific lytic activities were significantly higher in cultures

stimulated with ant plus IL-7 compared with in the stimulation (IVS) with antigen alone. Cytotoxic activity was principlely mediated by CD8+ effector cells, and CD3+/CD8+ cell expansion was increased by 2.7-fold in the presence of IL-7. In PBMC from seronegative donors, IL-7 enhanced anti-vaccinia CTL activities with less effect on cell proliferation. Furthermore, anti-gag CTL frequencies determined by limiting dilution analysis were increased by 2- and 10-fold in two asymptomatic patients following IVS plus IL-7 compared with antigen stimulation alone. Cytofluorimetric analysis revealed that IL-7 preferentially expanded CD8 (CD45RO+) and CD8+ lymphocytes expressing activation memory cells molecules. IL-7 was also able to support the growth of CD4+ lymphocytes, while having no effect on natural killer (NK)/K lymphocytes. Taken together, these data suggest that IL-7 acts cooperatively with the antigen supporting in vitro maturation of CTLp into functional cytotoxic effectors. Thus IL-7 may be an important biologic entity to consider as part of future immune-based therapies in which ex vivo expansion of antigen-driven CTL is an important determinant.

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Leukemia inhibitory factor improves survival of retroviral **vector** -infected **hematopoietic stem** cells in vitro, allowing efficient long-term expression of **vector**-encoded human adenosine deaminase in vivo.

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Low recovery and poor retroviral **vector** infection efficiency of **hematopoietic stem** cells has hindered application of gene therapy for disease affecting blood-forming tissues. Developmental restriction (or death) of **stem** cells during ex vivo infection has contributed to these difficulties. In these studies we report that the cytokine leukemia inhibitory factor (LIF) directly or indirectly supported the survival of hematopoietic stem cells during culture of bone marrow with vector-producing fibroblasts, resulting in efficient recovery of stem cells able to compete for engraftment irradiated recipient animals. The infection efficiency hematopoietic stem cells recovered from these cultures was approximately 80%; and all recipients (20/20) of the LIF-treated marrow were stably engrafted with the progeny of provirus-bearing stem cells. Expression of vector-encoded human adenosine deaminase (hADA) was detected in all recipients at levels averaging 15-50% of endogenous murine ADA in all their hematolymphoid tissues. Survival of **stem** cells in untreated cultures was approximately 10% of that observed from LIF-treated cultures, resulting in poor engraftment of recipient animals with transplanted cells. The infection efficiency of the few stem cells recovered from untreated cultures, however, was high (approximately suggesting that LIF did not have an effect on infection efficiency per se, but acted at the level of **stem cell** survival. Consistent with the poor engraftment observed in the control animals, expression of **vector**-encoded ADA was only approximately 4-20% of the endogenous levels. These results support the postulated role of LIF as a regulator of hematopoiesis and suggest that cytokine stimulation can positively affect inefficient retroviral vector transduction in hematopoietic stem cells.

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Transduction kinetics of non-human primate immuno-selected CD34+ cells using retroviral and lentiviral vectors that express the green fluorescent protein.

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